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Scientific Method in the Reconstruction of Ninth Grade Mathematics. By H. O. RUGG and J. R. CLARK. Chicago: The University of Chicago Press. Pp. 189. Price $1.00 + postage.

This the first number of the second volume of the Supplementary Educational Monographs published in connection with *The School Review* and the *Elementary School Journal.* It should be in the hands of every teacher of secondary mathematics and of those responsible for the course of study, as it gives a thorough and valuable discussion of its subject.

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